Citizens Bond Committee Frequently Asked Questions

Q: What is a Citizens Bond Committee?

A: The Citizens Bond Committee is a group of citizens appointed by the Mayor and City Council to meet and review and prioritize the capital projects that will be submitted for voter approval during the May 10, 2008 election.

Q: How many committee members will there be?

A: The Mayor will appoint 8 members and each City Council member will appoint 4 members, for a total of 40 committee members.

Q: How do I apply for this committee?

A: Fill out the application located at http://www.arlingtontx.gov/citizenboards/pdf/board_application.pdf and mail it to the Office of Mayor and Council, P.O. Box 90231, Arlington, TX 76004-3231 or fax it to 817-459-6120.

Q: When are applications due for this committee?

A: Applications are due to the Mayor's office by 5:00 p.m., June 22, 2007

Q: When will the appointments be made for this committee?

A: The Mayor and Council will make appointments to this committee during the City Council meeting on July 24, 2007.

Q: How long are committee members expected to serve?

A: Approximately two months, beginning August 2, 2007.

Q: Do I have to attend all the meetings?

A: It is desirable that all the committee members attend the majority of the meetings.

O: How many meetings will there be?

A: There are eight scheduled weekly meetings, beginning August 2, 2007 and ending September 20, 2007. In addition to the meetings, there will be two project tours, currently scheduled for September 5 and September 12, 2007.

Q: How long are the meetings?

A: Meetings will last approximately 2 hours each.

Q: What is a capital project?

A: Capital projects are construction projects that enhance the City's infrastructure and may include public safety buildings or other public buildings, roads, street improvements,

parks, and other municipal construction or improvement projects that require voter approval.